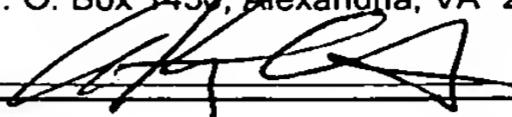




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In re Appln. of: Naoya Hasegawa

Appln. No.: 10/635,596

Examiner: W. Klimowicz

Filed: August 6, 2003

Art Unit: 2652

For: Giant Magnetoresistive Element

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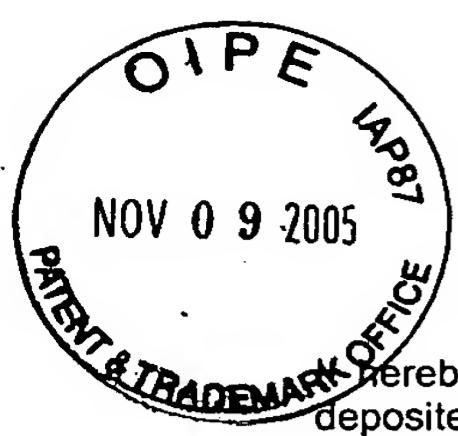
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Response to Election Requirement

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Election Requirement dated October 4, 2005, please amend the application as follows:

A listing of the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.